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HEIKES--HUNTSVILLE--TREES.

The Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries

SEPTEMBER

Huntsville, Ala.

1913

Price List



FOR THE TRADE ONLY.

Special Mention.

ROSES. One of our specialties is growing Hardy Hybrid Perpetuals and Mosses by budding for outdoor planting. Budded roses transplant with better success than roses on their own roots and produce finer blossoms. The stocks upon which we bud are all disbudded before planting, so that little trouble is experienced from suckers. It will be noticed that our assortment given on page 6 covers all shades of colors from white to the darkest crimson. We guarantee as fine plants, both roots and tops, as can be produced anywhere in the United States. Samples will be sent upon application.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI (Snow Queen). We are growing this variety in large numbers. It is the best white Hybrid Perpetual ever introduced. We have had it at Huntsville blooming in the open ground for the past six years. It is marvelous in its beauty in half open bud and in the pure white of the full opened bloom. It is more prolific and more constant in bloom than the Paul Neyron. In a bed of a dozen plants there is seldom a day during the Summer when blooms cannot be cut, and during the Spring and Fall it blooms in profusion. It is the ideal rose for cemetery planting both North and South. It holds its foliage well and is healthy and vigorous, and in hardiness it equals any of the Hybrid Perpetuals. Nurserymen should put this rose in the hands of their agents and draw upon us for filling their orders.

Alabama State Board of Horticulture.

OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE.

No. 2

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to Certify, That in accordance with an Act of the Legislature approved March 5, 1903, the nurseries of the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries, at Huntsville and Gladstone, Ala., were examined July 18, 19 and 21, 1913, and that the stock in said nurseries was found apparently free from the San Jose scale and all other insects and diseases of a seriously injurious nature. These nurseries are properly equipped for fumigation. This certificate is to cover only stock grown in the above-named nurseries and becomes invalid after July 15, 1914.

Auburn, Ala., Aug. 4th, 1913.



Form 1 1913-14

J.C.C. Price

Acting
State Horticulturist

The Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries

JESSIE S. MOSS, PROPRIETOR.

References: W. R. Rison Banking Company, Huntsville, Ala., and the Mercantile Agencies.

FALL OF 1913 AND SPRING OF 1914.

HEIKES HUNTSVILLE TREES.

SEPTEMBER, 1913.

Except where prices are agreed upon these quotations are subject to change without notice.

The usual Terms and Conditions govern these quotations.

Combination Car Lots.

Prices will be based on delivery to station at Huntsville, the price of boxes to be added. In car lots in bulk no charge will be made for packing.

To those who order in less than car lots and wish to take advantage of our plan to deliver to Distributing Points we must add to the prices quoted in this list the cost of freight from Huntsville to these points on a car lot basis, and we will then prepay the freight to the point of distribution. This plan insures low freight rates and quick time. Such orders will be packed in boxes at Huntsville and combined to make up car lots and shipment promptly made to distributing points and forwarded from there over the various railroads to destination. Car lot orders will go direct from Huntsville to destination, and can be shipped at any time after September 20th to March 15th, except a short time in mid-winter.

Distributing Points.

We are making St. Louis, Mo., Rochester, N. Y., Philadelphia, Pa., Mt. Pleasant, Texas, Portland, Ore., and Salt Lake City, Utah, distributing points for orders in less than car lots, to be shipped from Huntsville on the dates named below. No charge for drayage or transfer at these points.

FOR ST. LOUIS—Early shipments from September 20th to October 10th; late shipments from October 25th to December 10th, and in Spring.

FOR PHILADELPHIA AND ROCHESTER—November 1st and in Spring.

FOR MT. PLEASANT, TEXAS—October 10th to December 15th.

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.—November 1st to December 15th.

FOR SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—November 1st to December 15th.

This offer to ship to distributing points will not apply if shipment is required at other than the above named dates. It sometimes happens that we cannot arrange to make up combination car lots to suit all strictly within the dates named. It will be necessary to arrange the dates for shipments as orders are received.

For 100 rates add 1 cent each; for 10 rates add 2½ cents each to the 100 rates.

PEAR TREES. One and Two Years

The pears we offer are all worked on French Pear Seedlings 7-12 mm., branched roots. In grafting pears we use the first cut only. Kieffer, from grafts, grow up tall and straight in one year of sufficient height to cut back to the proper height to form heads for two year old trees.

KIEFFER. Two Years. Grafted on Branched French Pear Seedlings, 7-12 mm.

	CIPHER.	Per 1000
¾ to 1 inch, 5 to 6 feet, well branched.	<i>Fodder</i>	\$90 00
½ to ¾, 5 to 6 feet, well branched.	<i>Folder</i>	80 00
9-16 to ¾, 4 to 5 feet, branched.	<i>Follow</i>	70 00
½ to 9-16, 4 to 5 feet, branched.	<i>Fondte</i>	55 00
7-16 to ½, 3½ to 4½ feet, branched.	<i>Footish</i>	50 00
3 to 4 feet, more or less branched	<i>Forage</i>	45 00
2 to 3 feet, more or less branched	<i>Foxy</i>	35 00

KIEFFER. One Year. Grafted on Branched French Pear Seedlings, 7-12 mm.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
5 to 6 feet, not branched	<i>Fabric</i>	\$75 00
4 to 5 feet, not branched	<i>Fable</i>	65 00
3 to 4 feet, not branched	<i>Farmer</i>	55 00
2 to 3 feet, not branched	<i>Farther</i>	40 00
2 to 2½ feet, not branched	<i>Fashion</i>	35 00
1 to 2 feet, not branched	<i>Fathom</i>	25 00

BARTLETT AND BEURRE D'ANJOU. One Year. Grafted on Branched French Pear Seedlings, 7-12 mm.

	CIPHER.	Per 1000
5 to 6 feet, not branched	<i>Fear</i>	\$140 00
4 to 5 feet, not branched	<i>Feast</i>	120 00
3 to 4 feet, not branched	<i>Feather</i>	90 00
2 to 3 feet, not branched	<i>Feature</i>	60 00
2 to 2½ feet, not branched	<i>Federal</i>	50 00
One year, 1 to 2 feet, not branched	<i>Feeble</i>	30 00

APPLE TREES. One and Two Years.

APPLE GRAFTS. Two Years. Grafted on No. 1 Branched French Apple Seedlings, 7-12 mm.

We have large and handsome blocks of one and two years Apple Grafts for sale this season. See list of varieties given below:

	CIPHER	Per 1000	
¾ to 1 inch, 6 to 8 feet, well branched	<i>Provision</i>	\$80 00	
½ to ¾, 5 to 6 feet, well branched	<i>Proviso</i>	65 00	
9-16 to ¾, 4 to 6 feet, well branched	<i>Provoke</i>	55 00	
½ to 9-16, 4 to 5 feet, well branched	<i>Prowl</i>	45 00	
7-16 to ½, 3½ to 4½ feet, branched	<i>Proxy</i>	40 00	
3 to 4 feet, more or less branched	<i>Prude</i>	30 00	
Ark. Black	McIntosh Red	Red Astrachan	W. W. Pearmain
Baldwin	M. B. Twig	Red June	Winter Banana
Gano	Newtown Pippin	Spitzenburg	Wagener
Grimes Golden	Ortley	Stayman's Winesap	Yellow Transparent
Jonathan	Rome Beauty	Winesap	

APPLE GRAFTS. One Year. Grafted on Branched French Apple Seedlings, 7-12 mm.

	CIPHER	Per 1000	
Five to six feet, little if any branched	<i>Protect</i>	\$80 00	
Four to five feet, little if any branched	<i>Provost</i>	60 00	
Three to four feet, little if any branched	<i>Prudent</i>	40 00	
Two to three feet, little if any branched	<i>Provide</i>	25 00	
Arkansas Black	Liveland Raspberry	Rome Beauty	Wealthy
Baldwin	McIntosh	Stayman's Winesap	Winesap
Grimes Golden	Red Astrachan	Wagener	Yellow Transparent
Jonathan	Red June		

COMPASS-CHERRY-PLUM.

One Year. On Americana Plum Stocks.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
5 to 6 feet, 9-16 & up, well branched.....	Sack.....	
4 to 5 feet, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 9-16, well branched.....	Sadden.....	
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet, 7-16 to $\frac{1}{2}$, well branched.....	Safety.....	
3 to 4 feet, $\frac{3}{8}$ to 7-16, more or less branched.....	Sage.....	
2 to 3 feet, more or less branched.....	Sad.....	
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CHERRY TREES. On Mahaleb.

A small stock of one year trees in the following varieties: Early Richmond, Montmorency and Dyehouse.

PEACH TREES

One Year. On Peach. Leading Varieties.

Our peach trees are budded on seedlings grown from Tennessee and Alabama natural pits. They are free from *Aphis*, Root-knot and Crown-Gall. We can supply beautiful large, medium and small-sized trees. The land upon which our peach trees are grown produces a well-matured tree, with fine fibrous roots. The San Jose Scale, Yellows and Rosette are unknown in this section and we have been careful not to bring in any buds from affected localities.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
One to two feet, little if any branched.....	Render.....	\$17 50
Two to three feet, little if any branched.....	Resource.....	27 50
Three to four feet, under $\frac{3}{8}$ to 7-16, little if any branched.....	Reside.....	35 00
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet, 7-16 to $\frac{1}{2}$, more or less branched.....	Recite.....	37 50
Four to five feet, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 9-16, branched.....	Rattle.....	47 50
Four to six feet, 9-16 to $\frac{5}{8}$, branched, No. 1.....	Rather.....	57 50
Five to six feet, $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$, branched, extra.....	Ransom.....	62 50
Five to seven feet, extra, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch, branched.....	Rancor.....	62 50
Apex.....	Indian Blood Cling.....	Octobel.....
Alexander.....	F. St. John.....	Rex (Late Elberta).....
Arp Beauty.....	Fox Seedling.....	Reeves' Favorite.....
Beer's Smock.....	Globe.....	Salway.....
Belle of Ga.....	Greensboro.....	Stump the World.....
Bilyeaus Late.....	Goldfinch (Early	Sneed.....
Carman.....	Elberta).....	Stephens' Rareripe.....
Capt. Ede.....	Heath Cling.....	Triumph.....
Crawford's Early.....	Hiley (Ea. Belle).....	Waddell.....
Crawford's Late.....	Henrietta.....	Wonderful.....
Champion.....		

June Buds. On Peach.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
Six to twelve inches.....	Jester.....	\$12 50
Twelve to eighteen inches.....	Jersey.....	17 50
Eighteen inches to two feet.....	Jealous.....	22 50
Two to three feet.....	Jasper.....	27 50
Three to four feet, $\frac{3}{8}$ to 7-16, more or less branched.....	Jargon.....	35 00
Three to four feet, 7-16 to $\frac{1}{2}$, more or less branched.....	Jacket.....	37 50
Four to five feet, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 9-16, more or less branched.....	Jailer.....	47 50
Four to five feet, 9-16 to $\frac{5}{8}$, more or less branched.....	Jangle.....	57 50
Arp Beauty.....	Greensboro.....	Stephen's Rareripe.....
Carman.....	Goldfinch (Ea. Elberta).....	Early Wonder.....
Elberta.....	Heath Cling.....	

PECAN SEEDLINGS. Gulf Coast Thin Shell.

We have a very fine lot of two and three year old seedlings grown at Huntsville. These trees are grown from selected nuts collected along the Gulf Coast in Southern Mississippi and Louisiana, where the choicest thin shell nuts are produced. We can supply any size from one foot upward to five feet.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
12 to 18 inches.....	Patent.....	\$ 60 00
18 to 24 inches.....	Paddle.....	80 00
2 to 3 feet.....	Pebble.....	125 00
3 to 4 feet.....	Pellet.....	175 00
4 to 5 feet.....	Petted.....	200 00

GRAFTED PECANS. Assorted Sizes.

A small stock of the following varieties:

Centennial.....	Ga. Giant.....	Russell.....	Taylor.....
Curet.....	Moneymaker.....	Stuart.....	Teche.....
Frotscher.....	Pabst.....		

ROSES. Field-Grown. Budded.

The No. 1 plants will have three or more branches and will be cut back to 24 to 30 inches. The roots are very fine. We make a grade of Roses called No. 1½. This grade is made up of plants just under No. 1, such as do not have the required number of branches or slightly under weight and height, and make a very nice grade for mailing.

The plants under No. 1½ we class as No. 2. We recommend them for transplanting.

	CIPHER.	Per 1000
Two years, No. 1.....	Rosette.....	\$90 00
Two years, No. 1½.....	Robust.....	70 00
Two years, No. 2.....	Rocket.....	40 00

HYBRID PERPETUALS

Anne de Deisbach	Gruss an Teplitz	Mad. Gab. Luizet	Frau Karl Druschki (Snow Queen)
Coquette des Alps	M. P. Wilder	P. C. de Rohan	Ulrich Brunner
Gen. Jacqueminot	Magna Charta	Paul Neyron	

MOSSES

Crested Moss	Henry Martin	Salet	White Bath
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PRIVET. One and Two Years.

AMOOR RIVER PRIVET (SOUTH). The Best Strain. More Nearly Evergreen Than Any Other Strain.

	CIPHER	Per 1000
Four to five feet, well branched.....	Pug.....	\$45 00
Three to four feet, well branched.....	Purge.....	35 00
Two to three feet, well branched.....	Purify.....	25 00
Eighteen to 24 inches, well branched.....	Purist.....	20 00
Twelve to 18 inches, slightly branched.....	Purl.....	15 00

JUNEBERRY.

Improved Dwarf 2 to 3 feet.....	\$8 00 per 100
Improved Dwarf 18 to 24 inches.....	\$5 00 per 100
Improved Dwarf 12 to 18 inches.....	\$3 50 per 100

KUDZU VINE.

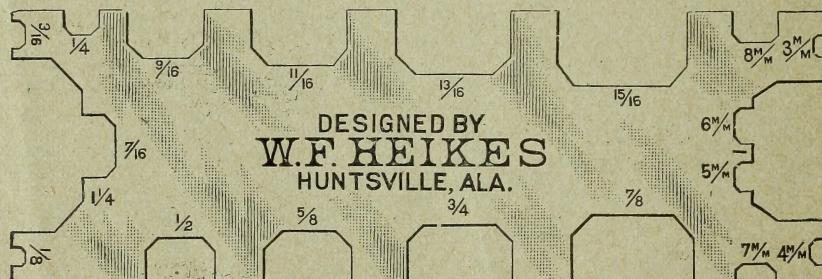
We have a fine stock of plants this year.

PRICES GIVEN ON REQUEST

The Kudzu Vine is hardy, grows with remarkable rapidity—from 40 to 60 feet in a single season after the root is well established—and its foliage, consisting chiefly of very large leaves, is luxuriant and healthy. It is now being extensively planted both in the North and South to cover arbors and verandas. In the North the plant dies to the ground in the winter.

NURSERYMEN'S CALIPER— $\frac{2}{3}$ SIZE.

This is the most practical Caliper in use for grading trees. It is made of steel brass, handsomely nickel plated. It answers also as a rule. Its length is exactly six inches and its width two inches. Price 65 cents each; 6 for \$3.00; 12 for \$6.00. Postage or express to be added. For sale by dealers in nurserymen's requisites, or orders may be sent direct to



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HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES, Huntsville, Ala.

Unsolicited Testimonials.

TEXAS, Feb'y 2, 1913—"Please let me thank you again for prompt shipment, and such nice trees. At Huntsville they simply produce only XXX, the very best. If you had all the varieties we need we should buy nowhere else."

COLORADO, May 1, 1913—"Box of Pears came promptly, as expected. Good express charges, \$37.20, as expected. Good trees with good roots at one end, as expected. They are worth the money, and a fellow feels thankful for folks who can be depended on."

VIRGINIA, April 19th, 1913—"The peach trees have arrived. They are in fine condition and entirely satisfactory."

NORTH CAROLINA, March 19, 1913—"The box of peach trees shipped us a few days ago has arrived and same opened up to our satisfaction. We wish to thank you for the extras."

ARKANSAS, March 12, 1913—"Am enclosing herewith our check for \$385 to balance our account to date. We thank you very much for promptness in handling this shipment."

NORTH CAROLINA, ————"We wish to say that this was the finest lot of trees we have ever received from anywhere and they were packed to perfection."

MISSOURI, April 25, 1912—"Your trees were satisfactory. Enclosed find N. Y. Draft."

ILLINOIS, April 8, 1912—"Apples came to hand this morning. They are nice one-year stock. We thank you very much for prompt shipment."

MISSISSIPPI, March, 1912—We thank you very much for the prompt attention you have given our orders this winter, and assure you that we will always buy our stock from you when in need of roses."

COLORADO, April 1, 1912—"The stuff was received in first-class condition and the Kieffer checked 90 trees over, all of which is for your good and my amusement."

ILLINOIS, March, 1912—"The six boxes of roses came in yesterday in fine shape and we have them unpacked and in our storage cellars. We thank you for promptness in handling the order and for the fine grade of stock that you gave us."

ARKANSAS, Februry, 1912—"Have received the Elberta in fine condition. I am more than pleased, for which you will please find enclosed check to balance account."

NORTH CAROLINA, Jan. 1, 1912—"The shipment of Roses which have just arrived in response to our recent order is exceedingly satisfactory and we are interested to learn on what stock the Hybrid Perpetuals are budded, whether Manetti or Carolina.

TEXAS, Jan. 3, 1912—"Our trees arrived Saturday, Dec. 30th, fine condition, Huntsville quality throughout. Thanks. Find draft to balance our shipment."

ARKANSAS, Dec. 11, 1912—"Enclosed find check for bill of peach trees received from you to-day. Am well pleased, arrived in fine shape. Many thanks."

Terms and Conditions Governing Quotations in the Price List of the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

RATES.—As we send this list to the trade only, we make the difference in prices between the 10, 100 and 1000 rates very slight—simply sufficient, as a rule, to cover the difference in the expense of handling in the smaller numbers. We uniformly tie in bunches of 10, when consistent with the order, and we suggest to our customers to make their orders for varieties in multiples of 10 as far as practicable. Orders for 50 and not over 300 trees, if for not less than 10 of a variety, will be charged at the rate per hundred. Orders requiring 300 trees or more, and not less than 10 of a variety, will be filled at the lowest quoted prices. Orders for less than 10 trees of one variety will be charged at the rate per ten.

SEASON.—Our packing and shipping season begins by the 20th of September and continues until the first of March.

We have great advantages to offer here in early shipments for the North in Spring. We do not accept orders for trees we do not grow, as we never buy trees to sell again. You can depend upon us for fresh dug trees. Each order is taken up separately and not until it is wanted for shipment.

SHIPPING DIRECTIONS.—We respectfully beg our patrons to furnish us with explicit directions as to shipping, and the mode of conveyance by which they desire trees forwarded. When no particular directions are given, we forward according to the best of our judgment. *But in no case do we assume any responsibility as to safe delivery and condition of trees and plants after a proper shipment by us.*

RELEASE.—When prepayment of freight is not required we will Release and Guarantee, and take forwarder's receipt and mail to consignee. It is left to the option of the shipper of trees over some railroads whether he will release them or not under the clause "Value less than \$5.00 per 100 lbs." If released under this clause the freight is less on roads governed by this classification, and we will assume it to be proper to make this release, without reference to the value of the trees, unless instructed to the contrary. This clause does not apply upon roads under some of the district classifications, and because of this confusion we will not be held responsible for any oversight to release, unless instructed by our customers. Claims for delay or loss must be made to the forwarders.

PACKAGES.—The cost of package must be added to the prices quoted in this list as follows: Boxes 30 inches square, from $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 9 feet long, as the trees may require, each \$2.50; boxes 24 inches, \$2.00; boxes 18 inches, \$1.50; bales from 25c. to 75c. each.

PACKING.—Goods will be packed in moss or "Shingle Tow," and especial care taken to insure their arrival in the best condition.

ASSORTMENTS.—We do not require customers to take an assortment they do not wish, but will sell one variety alone if desired. If any substitution can be allowed, either in grade or variety, it should be so stated when making the order. As a rule we do not substitute without permission.

CAUTION.—We accept all orders upon the condition that they shall be void should any injury befall the trees from frost, hail, storm, fire, or other causes over which we have no control.

TERMS—CASH. When desired, we will allow 80 to 60 days from date of shipment to responsible, prompt paying customers. Parties with

whom we have had no business transactions will save time by sending reference with order. We wish it expressly understood that payment is expected from the first collections made, and the time named is only intended as so many days of grace in which to make returns. To northern customers who wish to lay in stock for Spring trade we will ship late in Fall or early in Spring and allow time for payment till May 15th. If shipment is required in the Fall for Spring use, a note is to be given upon receipt of the trees. We do not allow any discount for cash, but we make our prices low to demand cash or prompt returns. In orders when the time is not mentioned, 30 days is to be understood. Interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum must be paid on over-due accounts. Should prices be changed, either higher or lower, during the season, the prices ruling at the time the order is made are expected to stand.

FORMS OF PAYMENT.—All bills are payable at the office of the seller, and remittances should be made by drafts on New York, Chicago or St. Louis, or by money orders on some Express Company, or by postal orders. We will, however, accept checks from those of our customers who may be located at places having no banking, express or postal facilities, provided they make them in every case payable "with exchange," or add $\frac{1}{4}$ of one per cent to the amount of the bill for the cost of collection.

GRADES.—We grade very carefully, in some cases by caliper, in others by height. When graded by both caliper and height the caliper must govern, as the height then named is only to be considered approximately. When graded by height or caliper we include the lower number and exclude the higher. Instance: in a grade of 4 to 5 feet trees the 4 feet trees are included, but not the 5 feet trees. If 5 feet trees are wanted the 5 to 6 feet grade must be ordered.

GUARANTEE OF GENUINENESS.—While we exercise the greatest diligence and care to have all our trees, etc., true to label and hold ourselves in readiness, on proper proof, to replace all trees, etc., that may prove untrue to label free of charge or refund the amount paid, it is mutually understood and agreed to between the purchaser and ourselves that our guarantee of genuineness shall in no case make us liable for any sum greater than that originally received for said trees, etc., that shall prove untrue.

ACCEPTANCE.—Notice should be sent to us by telegraph, at our expense, if there is any cause of complaint, or should the trees be refused, stating reasons. Claims for deduction, from whatever cause, will receive consideration only when made promptly upon the receipt of the trees. If trees show any signs of shrivelling upon arrival they can usually be restored by being thoroughly watered and buried entirely under the ground for two or three days. Should there be any frost in the trees upon arrival they should not be removed from the boxes until the frost is all out. The box should be placed in the cellar or protected in some other way. The presence of frost in the boxes is not to be considered an evidence of bad condition, as we pack to secure the trees against damage, if the frost is allowed to come out in the natural way. Goods will be considered accepted if removed from the boxes in which they are packed without notice of complaint to us and without our orders for their disposition.